

WE THE WOMEN

You Can't Conceal Your Age, Ladies

BY RUTH MILLETT

When will women learn that they can't push back the years by:

- Plucking out gray hairs or getting their hair dyed?
- Making a lot of noise at parties?
- Going in for shorts and halter tops?
- Fibbing about their age?
- Choosing their clothes from teen-age fashions?
- Putting on rouge with a lavish hand?
- Wearing the highest of high-heels, which are no longer comfortable?

Saying to other women — particularly those a few years younger — "She's beginning to show her age, don't you think?"

Saying, "She must be every day of 40," of the women who think she is younger than she actually is, then trotting out dates to prove it?

Refusing to stay at home and be comfortable "Moms" to their half-grown children?

Dragging their husbands out every night?

Borrowing teen-age slang?

Spending more time improving their faces than improving their minds?

Being coy with men?

The sad thing is, women can see those tricks don't work for other women—but each one thinks they are working for her.

University Beauty Queen To Be Chosen

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Aug. 21. — "Miss Candlelight," campus summer beauty queen at the University of North Carolina, will be selected in a contest sponsored by the Tar Heel, student newspaper, in the playmakers theatre here at 8:30 o'clock, tonight. The crowning ceremony will take place Friday night in "The Candlelight room," student "Night Club" in Graham Memorial, at 10 o'clock.

The 17 o'clock entered in the contest will wear evening gowns both at the judging and crowning ceremonies.

Seven campus officers, including the editor and managing editor of the Tar Heel, will serve as judges, and editor Bill Woestendick will crown the queen Friday night.

Approximately \$75 in prizes will be awarded to the three top contestants.

Candidates are Marjorie McKenzie, Red Springs, sponsored by Carr dormitory; Gray High, Greensboro, McVey dormitory; Christine Carter, Gastonia, Sigma Nu Fraternity; Elizabeth Lou Moore, Chapel Hill, Phi Delta Theta; Josephine Benton, Danville, Va., Man-gum; Georgia Davis, Ocala, Fla., Smith dormitory.

Jane Peete, Warrenton, Tri Delta Sorority; Elizabeth Hazlett, Chapel Hill, Delta Psi; Eugenia Pafe Ryan, New Bern, Kappa; Joanna Webber, Winston-Salem, Old East; Martha McClenaghan, Shreveport, La., Sigma Chi; Sara Daughtry, Jacksonville, Spence dormitory.

Patricia Hines, Charlotte, Phi Gamma Delta; Marcia McMillan, Raleigh, Delta Psi; Nancy Cutchin, Whitakers, "Battle-Vance-Pettigrew" dormitory; Ellen Benton, Opelika, Ala., Pi Lambda Phi; and Elizabeth Mitchell, Greensboro, Pi Kappa Alpha.

COMMUNIST CALL NOT DISTURBING

Nationalist Leaders Unperturbed Over Reports Of Troop Moves

NANKING, Aug. 21. — (AP) — The Chinese government, reportedly pouring thousands of troops into Manchuria for an all-out drive against Communist dominated Jehol province, is not taking seriously the Communist call for mobilization, Information Minister Peng Hsueh-pei announced Wednesday.

Peng said the Yenian Communist order was merely a call for help from mobilization from militiamen scattered throughout Red area. He said the government did not consider such an order a declaration of war, adding there was no serious fighting anywhere in China except in the East-West Lungai railroad in North Central China.

"The situation in all Communist areas," the spokesman continued, "is no different from what it has been during the past few months."

Meanwhile the Shanghai Communist office flatly denied that any mobilization order had been issued by Yenian.

So far, Peng added, there has been no reply to the government's ultimatum to Communist forces to halt their attack on Tatum, rail center 125 miles west of Peiping, or suffer reprisal attacks on Yen-an, Kalgan or Chengteh, important Communist strongholds.

Chinese newspapers published reports that thousands of government troops were pouring through Mukden and on deeper into Manchuria for a drive westward in Jehol province within a few days.

The Communists, who Tuesday publicly announced they were forming their own government in Manchuria but were not seeking overthrow of the Kuomintang (Nationalist) government in China, also were reported to be feverishly preparing to defend Chengteh in south central Jehol province. All schools were reportedly closed and war supplies were said to have been moved from Chengteh.

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Mildred Stevens, September Bride, Honored At Party

Mrs. S. Warren Sanders and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. S. Warren Sanders, Jr., gave a bridge party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Sanders, for Miss Mildred Stevens whose marriage to Karl Wilkerson McGhee will be a social event of September.

The interior of Mrs. Sanders' home at 1320 Grace street was gay with summer flowers. At the end of the game, in which Mrs. Jere Freeman won top score prize, an ice course was served.

Among those enjoying the party were Mrs. John Stevens, mother of the bride elect, Miss Mildred Stevens, the honoree, Miss Carolyn Holland, Miss Isobell Stelling, Miss Katherine Perdew, Miss Dorothy Cameron, Mrs. Jere Freeman, Mrs. Lynn Barton of Newbern, and Miss Vic Sanders.

MAYOR PROCLAIMS SPECIAL DAY

Disabled American Veterans To Place Flowers On Sale Saturday

Mayor W. Ronald Lane, yesterday proclaimed, Saturday, August 24, "Disabled American Veterans Forget-Me-Not" day.

On this day the members of the DAV here will place on sale Forget-Me-Not flowers with the proceeds from the sale going into the DAV fund for aid to disabled veterans and their dependents.

Plans for conducting the sale have been formulated by Gregory Davis Chapter No. 11 under the direction of Mrs. Jean Koonce, flower sale chairman.

Mayor Lane's proclamation: "WHEREAS, The war is not over for our disabled veterans who have given a part of the body and well-being in the wartime service of our nation; and

"WHEREAS, Many disabled veterans, their families and their dependents are in need of counseling, rehabilitation assistance, and advice pertaining to government rights and benefits; and

"WHEREAS, The Disabled American Veterans, chartered by Congress as the official voice of the nation's wartime disabled, is rendering a vital service to the disabled veterans of this community and area; and

"WHEREAS, The D. A. V. has pledged itself to protect existing benefits and help obtain additional needed benefits for America's disabled defenders; and

"WHEREAS, The D. A. V. has chosen Saturday August 24 as its annual Forget-Me-Not Day in this community, the funds derived from said Day be used in behalf of the disabled veteran and his dependents in this community;

"NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. Ronald Lane, Mayor of this City of Wilmington, do hereby proclaim Saturday August 24 as DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS FORGET-ME-NOT DAY and request all citizens, interested groups and societies to participate in the day.

"IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the seal of the city to be affixed."

NEWS LID ON

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 21. — (AP) — The Danish War ministry Wednesday clamped a news censorship on mention of the exact locations where any "ghost rockets" are seen. At least a dozen of the mysterious projectiles have been reported sighted over Sweden in the past week, coming from the general direction of the Russian-occupied North German Baltic coast.

\$15,000 LOOT

LEVELLAND, Tex., Aug. 21. — (AP) — A lone robber held up the Level-land State bank at noon today and escaped with an estimated \$15,000.

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Yacht Club Scores Again At Weekly Bridge Lunch

At the Carolina Yacht Club's bridge luncheon, yesterday, the club members and their guests held forth with enthusiasm for the game and the luncheon, which is so relaxing, after the game. Assisting Mrs. Morrison, who as hostess, has contributed much to the success of the parties for the month of August, were Mrs. Walter Curtis and Mrs. W. Houston Moore.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Rayford Trask with Mrs. Lynn Barton of New Bern winning the low score prize. Among those enjoying the game were the following:

Mrs. Herbert S. Snead of Montclair, N. J., Mrs. George Honnet, Mrs. J. A. Elmore, Mrs. Z. K. Bell, Mrs. Richard Rogers, Mrs. W. E. Yopp, Mrs. J. S. Zaff, Mrs. J. W. Hood, Mrs. du Brutz Poisson, Mrs. Fred Burr, Mrs. J. W. Hooper, Mrs. David H. Scott, Mrs. Charles Ashburner, Mrs. Claude Howell, Mrs. William L. Beery, Mrs. C. H. Pratt, and Mrs. A. R. Willis.

Mrs. S. L. Bill of New Bern, Mrs. George N. Harris, Miss Betty Willard, Mrs. N. L. Foy, Mrs. R. N. Murphy of Richmond, Mrs. Eugene Johnson, Mrs. Harry McGirt, Mrs. C. Wayne Spencer, Mrs. J. W. Rysse, Mrs. George Davis, Miss Florence White of Goldsboro, Mrs. Ransey Weathersbee, Jr., and Mrs. Carl Allen, Jr.

Mrs. R. C. Cantwell, III, Mrs. W. A. Roney, Mrs. Lynn Barton of New Bern, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Jere Freeman, Mrs. Warren Sanders, Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. Gene Fonvielle, Mrs. Rayford Trask, Mrs. Richard Cantwell, Jr., Mrs. Eugene Le Grand, Mrs. Joe Fenley, Mrs. Julian K. Taylor, and Mrs. Emmie Smith.

Next week, Wednesday 28, the Yacht Club members will hold their final bridge luncheon. The hostesses chosen to assist Mrs. Morrison are Mrs. Russell Parks and Mrs. James Wells. As next week will mark the closing of these popular affairs for the summer season a large crowd is expected to be on hand. Reservations should be made as early as possible—the dead line for the list will be 12 o'clock, Monday.

Southeastern North Carolina NEWS TIDBITS

Bladen — Brunswick — Columbus — Craven — Duplin — Onslow — Pender — Robeson — Sampson

NEW STADIUM

WHITEVILLE, Aug. 21. — A new 1946 Ford car heads the list of prizes to be given away here August 30 as part of a program to boost contributions to the erection of a memorial athletic stadium on the site of the old prisoner of war camp. Plans for the stadium call for one of the most modern structures in this section of the state. The grading has already been completed. The construction of a commodious grandstand is the next step forward in the development of the stadium. Recently, the Whiteville Rotary club adopted lighting the field for night playing as its project.

PRODUCTION UP

SOUTHPORT, Aug. 21. — Mc-haden production is said to be above what it was at the same period last year. In addition the boats have been making heavy catches during recent days. With fair fishing weather this promises to be a fine year for the men engaged in this work.

ROLL OF HONOR

LUMBERTON, Aug. 21. — The name of the late Captain Richard Grayard McMillan of the 20th U. S. Army Air Force, native of McDonald, is the first Robeson County war dead to be entered on the national roll of honor in the Patriots' Transept at Washington Cathedral, it was announced in Washington by the Rev. Merritt F. Williams, associate chairman of the Cathedral National Building Fund. Captain McMillan, son of Mrs. Louise Outlaw McMillan of McDonald and husband of Mrs. Virginia Louise McMillan of Valdosta, Ga., was killed in action with the AAF in China on Nov. 21, 1944 as pilot of a B-29 Superfortress.

SHRIMP TRAWLERS

SOUTHPORT, Aug. 21. — Shrimp trawlers that have been operating at various points along the coast, mostly at Georgetown, Charleston and Rockville, S. C., are beginning to turn homeward in preparation for the several months of big production now, looming. Among the boats already back are the four bottom busters owned by Lewis J. Hardee. These boats, built and commissioned in Louisiana two years ago, are said to be the largest and best powered of any shrimp trawlers used in any port.

QUINERLY SELECTED

WHITEVILLE, Aug. 21. — Jimmy Quinerly, 14-year-old son of J. P. Quinerly of Whiteville, has been selected by the Whiteville American Legion post to attend Boys' State to be held in Raleigh during the week beginning September 1. His selection was announced by Joe Mann, district Legion commander and Boys' State committeeman. Young Quinerly will be a freshman in high school next year and is one of the most faithful members of the Whiteville Boy Scout troop, having attended for the past two years without missing any troop meetings. He holds the rank of Life Scout.

NEW BRANCH OPENS

LUMBERTON, Aug. 21. — The Scottish Bank has opened a branch at Salem, and E. W. Ayers, has been named cashier, it is announced by President John P. Stedman of Lumberton. The board of managers is composed of Randy Royal, chairman, C. A. Royal, Robie Butler and Dr. D. M. Royal. The Scottish Bank has other branches at St. Pauls, Pembroke, Red Springs, Lumberton and Garland.

RECREATION DAY

JACKSONVILLE, Aug. 21. — All of Onslow county will participate in a "recreation day" to be held here on September 5. The event is being sponsored by the Onslow County Federation of Home Demonstration clubs and the Jacksonville Recreation commission.

PURCHASE JERSEYS

LUMBERTON, Aug. 2. — Six registered Jersey heifers were purchased by six Robeson Negro farmers recently, reports S. T. Brooks, Negro farm agent. The heifers were selected by N. C. State Extension specialists at Statesville, and the county paid transportation. Negro farmers have purchased 11 pure bred heifers and 5 pure bred bulls this year, Brooks states.

SNAKES KILLED

SOUTHPORT, Aug. 21. — Seven rattlesnakes have been reported as being killed in Brunswick county during the past seven days. It is not unlikely that more have been slain, without any reports being made. Experienced woodsmen say that the number being killed does not represent any proof of increase in the snake population. Rattlesnakes are always found most numerous at this season of the year and this year they are most easily found, owing the excessively rainy summer and the waters forcing them out of the swamps.

FAMILY REUNION

TURKEY, Aug. 21. — The Moore-Thompson-Hicks families held their 12th annual reunion on Sunday, August 11, at the Old Ten Mile Church near Turkey, in Sampson county, with about 75 members attending. The clan voted to hold future meetings on the second Sunday in August of each year.

ATTEND 4-H CAMP

LUMBERTON, Aug. 21. — Fifty-six boys and girls from Robeson 4-H clubs are attending Millstone 4-H Camp near Rockingham this week. They will participate in classes in 4-H organization, music appreciation and recreation, handicraft and swimming and in various sports and work activities. Councilors who accompanied the group were Farm Agent O. P. Owens, Assistants V. C. Herlocker and E. E. Wright, Mrs. Herlocker, Assistant Home Agent Mrs. Veronica B. Warner, Misses Laura Frances Snow, Kathryn Oliver and Christine Prevatte.

ORDAINED INTO MINISTRY

WHITEVILLE, Aug. 21. — S. Woodrow Jolly of Whiteville,

Miss Doris Smith September Bride, Feted At Shower

Miss Ellen Furr and Miss Charlotte Walker were hostesses recently at a linen shower honoring Miss Doris Smith whose wedding to William S. Holland will take place on September 1.

The home was decorated with summer cut flowers and upon arrival Miss Smith was presented with a corsage of white carnations and tube-roses. Games were enjoyed by the guests during the evening and Mrs. Jack Selby and Mrs. Herbert C. Davis were prize winners. Refreshments of ice cream and cake with candy and nuts were served.

Enjoying the occasion with the honoree and the hostesses were Mrs. L. D. Smith, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. Sarah M. Hilland, Mrs. Ralph Furr, Mrs. Dan Walker, Mrs. Nettie Maultby, Mrs. J. M. Adams, Jr., Mrs. T. W. Poplin, Mrs. C. D. Thompson, Mrs. Jack Selby, Mrs. V. E. Phelps, Mrs. Herbert C. Davis, Mrs. A. L. Williams, Mrs. C. C. Duke, Mrs. C. E. Kavanaugh, Mrs. Earl Ward, Mrs. J. E. Gillard and Miss Patricia Hancock.

REALTORS TO MEET HERE AFTER LUNCH AT CAPE FEAR CLUB

Members of the Wilmington Real Estate board will play host to the officers and directors of the North Carolina Board of Realtors at a luncheon meeting at the Cape Fear club on Friday, August 23, at 1 p. m., it was announced here yesterday.

Following the luncheon meeting a business session will be held. At 7 p. m. the realtors will convene at the Ocean Terrace hotel, Wrightsville Beach, for a banquet.

About 20 out-of-town visitors are expected at the gathering. All local members of the Real Estate board are asked to make their reservations not later than 6 p. m. Thursday with Kenneth Marshall, local board secretary.

BANK PILFERED

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 21. — (AP) — The Federal Bureau of Investigation reported here Wednesday the Fulton, Miss., bank was robbed of \$6,000 shortly before 1 p. m., and a man identified by bank employees as a resident of near Fulton, is being sought.

has been ordained into the Baptist ministry and will begin his ministry training at the New Orleans Baptist seminary in September. The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. E. E. Ulrich, pastor of the Pleasant Plains Baptist church where the services were held. Others participating in the service were: Rev. J. F. Gaddy, who presented the Bible, Rev. B. G. Early who led in prayer, and Rev. S. N. Lamb who delivered the charge. Members of the examining board were: Rev. Marvin K. Beasley, Rev. S. N. Lamb, Rev. B. G. Early, Rev. J. F. Gaddy, Rev. R. W. Strickland, Rev. D. C. Britt and Rev. E. E. Ulrich. The young minister attended the Whiteville High school.

TO MAKE BIDS?

SOUTHPORT, Aug. 21. — Representatives of several different contracting firms have recently made trips to Fort Caswell. Their coming was, presumably, for the purpose of getting into position to make bids on whatever construction or alteration work the navy is planning. The place is to be converted into a Radar station and experimental point, with possibly coordinated work by the army. No information is available as to the extent of the use of the place. However, during nearly a year or experiments, concluded last fall, it was stated that in the event the plans worked out there would be a large number of men.

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CLUB and SOCIAL dates to remember

TODAY

4:00 p. m. — Brownie troop No. 9, of the Sunset Park Baptist church will hold their annual birthday party at the church. Members are requested to bring their troop dues for the year.

8:00 p. m. — Letitia Rebekah Lodge, No. 3, IOOF, meets at the lodge hall. A full attendance is desired.

The annual meeting of the Cro-martie clan will be held Thursday at Crystal Beach, White Lake.

FRIDAY

11:00 a. m. — Meeting of the Social League of Wilmington at St. James parish house. All persons who are and have been members since the inception of the league are requested to be present as important business will be transacted.

2:30 p. m. — The Winter Park Home Demonstration will meet at the home of S. W. Spooner.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Howes will leave this evening for New York city to attend the wedding of their daughter, Miss May Howes which is to take place on Saturday afternoon to William G. Ogden.

Miss Julia Mooneyham has returned to her home in Winter Park after spending the past month visiting her sister, Mrs. Paul Tadlock of Dothan, Ala.

Miss Jane Fairley of Monroe, who has been the guest of Miss Martha Johnson of Winter Park, has left for Washington, D. C. Miss Fairley and Miss Johnson were former roommates at the University of North Carolina.

Mrs. Eugene Hoke has returned to her home in Augusta, after spending the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. W. P. O'Neill at the Carolina Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Block and Mr. William Block have returned home after attending the golden wedding celebration of Mrs. Block's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Solomon of Portsmouth.

Mrs. R. L. Weaver has as her guest, Mrs. Charles S. Britt of Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Browder have returned to Wallace, their former home, after five years residence at 106 South Van Buren street, Sunset Park.

Mrs. D. S. Carr, Miss Mary Daniel Carr and Miss Blanche Parsley have returned to their homes after a motor trip which included Washington, Philadelphia, New York City and places of interest along the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia. While in New York City they visited Mrs. Carr's nephew and niece, Dr. and Mrs. Chester L. Davidson.

Mrs. Will Rehder has returned home after an operation performed at Watts hospital, Durham.

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